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SUBJECT: SHORT TERM STRATEGY TOWARD PAKISTAN

REF: STATE 102155

1. PARA TWO REFTEL GIVES DEPARTMENT'S GUIDANCE ON HOW WE HANDLE THE SPECIFICS OF OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH PAKISTAN IN THE SHORT-TERM AND ASKS FOR ANY COMMENTS WE MIGHT HAVE. WE HAVE SENT (SEPTTEL) ONE RECOMMENDATION ON FIRST REQUEST WE HAVE RECEIVED FOR AN FMS SALES CASE. THE GUIDELINES ARE SOUND AND WE WILL FOLLOW THEM CAREFULLY IN OUR DEALINGS WITH THE GOP.

2. WE HAVE ALSO INFORMED ALL RELEVANT ELEMENTS OF THE MISSION OF THE NEW GUIDELINES AND CAREFULLY EXPLAINED HOW THEY SHOULD BE IMPLEMENTED SO THERE WILL BE NO CONFUSION. AS THE POLITICAL SITUATION CONTINUES TO PERCOLATE, WE WILL PASS ALONG ANY FURTHER SUGGESTIONS WE HAVE ON OUR POLICIES TOWARD THE GOP.  
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